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Miss Janie Patterson was taken suddenly ill last Sunday at her residence.

Mrs. J. W. Smith, wife of the late Bishop J. W. Smith, left the city last week on business.

Mr. W. Sidney Pittman left the city for North Carolina last week to join the touring party of Prof. B. T. Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Shermon Brooks have recently moved to their newly-purchased home, 1327 12th street northeast, where they will be glad to meet their many friends on or after Nov. 1, 1910.

Several weddings are expected to take place soon. Cupid is still on the take.

Miss Naomi Toppen, of 45 Hanover street northwest, was indisposed last week.

Miss Cordelia S. MacClenn, of this city, is the guest of Mrs. Sidney Bishop, of 1096 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, Mass.

Mr. George H. Jordan, who spent his vacation in New York City at his mother's home, 117 East 84th street, arrived here last week to pursue a course in law at Howard University.

Mrs. Evelyn Diggs, who spent the summer at Newport, R. I., stopped over in Brooklyn, N. Y., last week while en route to her home in this city, and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore.

Miss Minnie Parker has returned to this city after a pleasant stay in Atlantic City.

Miss Ethel Edwards, who was royally entertained by friends during her stay in this city for a few weeks, has returned to her home in Atlantic City. Miss Edwards also visited friends in Philadelphia.

The matinee reception by the "Frogs" last week was largely attended and much enjoyed by the patrons.

Miss Maude Royal, of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Mayne Dowling, of this city, attended the Hackley recital in Philadelphia, Pa., last week. Mrs. Dowling was royally entertained by friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. White were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Minton while in Philadelphia last week to the Hackley recital.

Miss Matilda Murray, of Harrisburg, Pa., is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Humbert Johnson were entertained at the home of Mrs. Sandler last week during their visit to Philadelphia.

Miss Susan Cook has returned to this city after a pleasant stay in Brooklyn, N. Y., and Philadelphia.

Mr. George White, of Howard University, visited relatives and friends in Richmond, Va., on Sunday, Oct. 23.

Mr. George Jackson, of the Census Bureau, has returned to this city after spending several days with relatives and friends in Richmond, Va.

Mr. George Stevens, who attended the Colored State Fair in Richmond, Va., last week, has resumed his duties in the Census Office, this city.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Eva Long has returned to this city after an enjoyable trip to Hunt-ersville, Va., visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bunnie Hunt.

Mrs. Alice Bowler has returned home after a pleasant stay in Hunt-ersville, Va., with her sister, Mrs. Amelia Giddings.

Mr. and Mrs. John Y. Sewall, of Boston, Mass., are visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. David T. Howard, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Douglass, on Florida avenue northwest.

Mrs. Claude Cuney Hare, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wright Cuney and Mrs. W. L. Houston, has returned to her home in Boston, Mass.

Mrs. I. V. Tines, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting her sister and niece, Mrs. M. E. Thomas and Carrie Twine, 1110 19th street northwest.

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Recorder Henry Lincoln Johnson left the city a few days ago for the East.

Mr. W. H. Lewis will be in the city in a few days.

Ex-Gov. P. B. S. Pinchback is in the city, having arrived from New York City a few days ago.

Rev. George W. Moore, formerly pastor of the Congregational Church, 11th and R streets, but now superintendent of the Southern church work, is in the city.

Mr. W. R. Griffin, deputy chief of the True Reformers, is in the city.

The matinee dance given by the Lyric Orchestra last Friday afternoon, the 28th ult., was well attended. All present enjoyed the music.

**A Wedding.**  
A quiet but interesting wedding took place last Thursday evening, the 28th, when Miss Marjorie Sublette Anderson was married to Mr. Leon S. Wormley at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson, 60 P street northwest. Both of the contracting parties are well known in this city, the Wormleys being citizens here and the Andersons originally from Texas, but for some years have been established in business here. The bride's sister, Miss Lillian Anderson, was maid of honor. Only a few intimate friends and the families of both parties were present. Mr. Anderson left for California the following Saturday, where he will later be joined by his family. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lyons, Sgt. and Mrs. Buck, Mrs. Wormley, the groom's mother; Mrs. Francis, Mr. Smith Wormley, Lawyer Henry Heatt, Mrs. H. E. Toppen, Misses Naomi Toppen, Inez Arrington, Lydia Brown, Lillian Anderson, Mary Chanie, Blanche Hill, Maggie Penn, Rosetta Dodson, Messrs. Franklin, Clifton Anderson, Gear Williams, Parker Lee, William Ruffin, Brother McKenney, William Lane, Edward Rattley and Lewis Brown.

**Fairmount Heights.**  
Mr. O. B. Zantinger, one of the school commissioners for Prince George County, in company with Mr. R. N. Ryan, Clerk of the Circuit Court, were here Thursday, Oct. 27, for the purpose of investigating the public school conditions and supplying their needs. They found more than 100 children and no school provided for them. As a result of the efforts of Mr. O. B. Zantinger, other members of the School Board, and the untiring persuasion of Messrs. Jas. F. Armstrong and R. S. Nichols, the delegates to Marlboro, the school commissioners allowed a public school for Fairmount Heights. The school will open Nov. 15. Miss Carrie B. Griffin, one of Fairmount Heights' most worthy young ladies, has been recommended and appointed teacher for the year. The full Board of School Commissioners and the County Superintendent of Education will visit Fairmount Heights Friday, Nov. 11, for the purpose of investigating the necessity of purchasing land and erecting a permanent school building. Much interest is being shown by the county officials towards the education of the colored children in this community.

The revival services at the M. E. Church will close Sunday night, Nov. 6. Rev. E. S. Williams, D. D., District Superintendent of the Washington District, will preach and administer the Holy Sacrament. The Epworth League services were grand last Sunday evening. Many new members were added. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Addison, former members of Asbury M. E. Church, were present and sang a beautiful solo. Among the new members were Mrs. L. E. Crouse, Miss C. B. Griffin, Miss Cornelia

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Gardner, Miss Saddle Corray. The M. E. Church, because of its flourishing condition, is frequently referred to as "young Asbury." Miss Elenora Barnes entertained several of her friends at a Halloween party last Monday evening. Mr. Arthur E. Briscoe will leave Monday for New York, where he will spend a week with relatives and friends.

**Program of Epworth League of Fairmount Heights M. E. Church.**  
1. Organ Voluntary.  
2. Opening Song.  
3. Prayer by Pastor.  
4. Scripture Reading, Elenora Barnes.  
5. Song, Selection.  
6. Address, "Why We Should be Proud," Mr. A. E. Briscoe.  
7. Song, Selection.  
8. Select reading from "Sir Launfal," by Miss Ethel Howard.  
9. Song, Selection.  
10. Essay, "Charity," Mr. James A. Campbell.  
11. Opening of topic by Mrs. Crouse, "Two Aspects of Government of Christ."  
12. Collection, Announcements.  
Closing song, Selection.

**WEST WASHINGTON NOTES.**

**Memorial Exercises in Honor of Miss Mary L. Beason.**  
Memorial exercises were held Sunday afternoon at Mount Zion M. E. Church under the auspices of the Epworth League in honor of the late Miss Mary L. Beason, a teacher in the public schools for more than 30 years. Eulogies were delivered by

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Rev. M. W. Clair, Rev. D. W. Hayes and Mr. James L. Turner. Papers were read by Misses Rosie Williams and Josephine Carroll. Music was rendered by the junior choir, and a solo by Mr. E. Battles. Mrs. Annie Boyd presided. A series of resolutions were adopted to the memory of Miss Beason by the church and the many friends and associates of the deceased who attended the services.

Miss Mabel Turner, of Dumbarton avenue, has been appointed temporary teacher in the kindergarten school in the Stevens Building. Miss Helen Magdalene Ford, the accomplished niece of Mrs. James Cooch, of 2700 P street, was married last Thursday evening to Mr. Howard J. Jones. Many handsome and beautiful presents were received from the friends of the happy couple. The services at Mount Zion M. E. Church Sunday were devoted to the benevolence of the church. At the morning service, Rev. W. P. Thirkield, D. D., President of Howard University, delivered a very interesting discourse from James 1:5, and at the evening services Bishop W. T. Mallalien preached. He selected his text from Rev. ii:10, which was very inspiring to the large congregation present. Rev. D. W. Hayes made the closing remarks. A very large collection was raised for the benevolent cause during the day.

**A Reception.**  
The residence of Mrs. Ray, of 1929 Sixth street northwest, was a scene of brilliant array last Saturday, the 29th, the occasion being a reception given in honor of Miss Fletcher Howell, of Portsmouth, Va., by the Misses Georgie E. Sheffery and Mattie B. Sneed. Among those present were the Misses Nettie Smallwood, Beatrice Malvin, Mary Waldron, Maria Johnson, Cicely Diggs, Lillian Ramsey, Ella Milton, Lottie Brown, Florence Barker, Ula Goodrich, Seletine Folk, Pearl and Louise Dennie, Essie and Lula Jackson, Minnie and Mayme Simmons, Minnie and Edith Hall and Florence and Eva Hunt. Among the young men were Messrs. R. Wilson, H. Anderson, W. English, O. Jones, P. Scott, F. Brooks, E. Pinn, P. Olden, O. Perry, J. Sims, H. Barco, J. Johnson, E. Starks, W. Tibbs, Kyle, Davis, Hunter, Chism, Cuff, Bayliss, Anderson, Burrell, King, Parker, Hunt, Hunycutt, Proctor, Vaughter, Milton, Thomas, McMorris and others. The young people danced until a late hour, when refreshments were served. Miss Howell will no doubt ever remember the occasion and the many pleasant faces she met that night.